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Docket 82857LMB  
Customer No. 01333

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Debasis Majumdar, et al

SMECTITE CLAY  
INTERCALATED WITH  
POLYETHER BLOCK  
POLYAMIDE COPOLYMER

Serial No. 10/008,810

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.17 AND 1.136**

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- ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of 1 month from the expiration date of the shortened time period set by the Office Action dated December 12, 2005.
- ☐ Applicants petition for a further extension of month from the expiration date of the extension requested by Applicants in the Request dated .

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